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Scenes in the Flooded Mississippi Valley



Above, a street in Hickman, Ky., where the water from the Mississippi river was eight feet deep. Below, a group of refugees, women and children, encamped on the higher ground, safe from the floods, but without shelter.

Mass Meeting in Favor of Sacco and Vanzetti



Enormous throng in Union square, New York, signifying with upraised hands their approval of resolutions against the death sentence which was pronounced in Massachusetts against Sacco and Vanzetti, the radicals who were convicted of murder.

They Are Last of the Mashpee Tribe



Princesses Minowann and Maunawats and Mantaskau, medicine man, are the last survivors of the Mashpee tribe of Indians. They are seen above as they took part in ceremonies at Indian Rock, near Middleboro, Mass.

Russian Armored Train in China

Here is the famous White Russian armored train that is attached to the Northern army in China. The gun is in the kettle-like shelter with its crew.



THINGS YOU MAY NOT KNOW

The first opera house was opened at Venice in 1637.

New York city has an electric sign one block long.

A belt 1,500 feet long was recently made in New Jersey.

Warmth by wireless is predicted by a Pittsburgh scientist.

Bracelets designed from coconut shells and ornamented with gems and precious metals are popular in Europe.

The city of Damascus has been sacked innumerable times.

One cubic foot of anthracite coal weighs 63 pounds.

In China concrete roofing is taking the place of the ancient clay tiles.

The Sumerians who lived near the Tigris and Euphrates rivers made wheels for their chariots as early as 820 B. C.

Life Prolongations
An eastern scientist has discovered a drug which he expects will prolong life about 25 years. It must be administered to take about the first of the month, and while one is being run down by automobiles.—Archibson Globe.

Your Telephone Set

The ordinary desk telephone has 201 parts. In their manufacture, no variation in size greater than one thousandth of an inch is permissible.

CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

Investigating recent mysterious nocturnal noises in the garret of his hotel, C. W. Miller, Hanford hotelman, discovered that they proceeded from a nest of young owls, white, fuzzy and large eyed, lately hatched. The mother owl was away when the nestlings were captured, put in a box with a coarse screen in front, and placed near the nest. The wise old owl, mindful of her duty to provide for her young, proceeded to forage for food and the first night after the birds were in captivity the parent owl laid ten squirts in front of the cage, the second and third nights twenty each, and on the fourth night twelve squirts were brought in through the skylight and laid before the box containing the three young owls. Miller supplied the young birds with their regular rations and they are already beginning to feather. He believes that the mother has supplied evidence that the owl, of this variety, is a friend of the farmer in the removing of squirrels and will later turn the young ones loose to catch squirrels for themselves.

Giles S. Caldwell of Oakland, has been officially recognized as the outstanding hero of 1926. Before the assembled student body of the University of California, he was awarded the Red Cross medal that once each year goes to the man performing the most singular feat in behalf of mankind. According to the citation, Caldwell and a companion, Frank Perry, were at Stinson Beach on March 27, 1926. They heard screams for help from two girls who had ventured too far into the surf. Plunging into the water, the two swam out to the scene. Caldwell well fought his way to the shore through a treacherous surf with one of the girls, at the same time successfully directing Perry in bringing in the other. The girls were Jennie and Dorothy Walker of San Francisco. Dorothy was revived through first aid methods by Caldwell. He was unable to restore life to Jennie.

An old oxen yoke, used by the father of Mrs. Clara Miller of Hammonville when he first came to California in 1829, is to be given to the Marysville Parlor of Native Sons and will be placed in the old historic Wells Fargo office building at Timbuctoo along with other place relics. The Native Daughters aided in the restoration of this old landmark, which stands on the Tahoe-Ukiah State Highway in the Yuba foothills, once a rich mining section. For a long time the old yoke was the property of Charles Wilbur of Sutter county, who died last November and who before passing promised to give it to the Native Sons as a memento of early days.

A hitherto undiscovered earthquake fault has been found at the foot of the San Gabriel mountains, north of Claremont and Pomona and San Bernardino valleys in Southern California by Rollin Eckis, honor student in geology at Pomona College. Eckis was the first to prove the existence of the fault by the land forms and deductive method. He has done remarkable work in unraveling the geology of the region and in a recently published paper he also points out the great changes that have been wrought in the San Gabriel mountains through the effect of running water on their surfaces.

Emily Lindley, 25 years of age, of Porterville, is expected to lose the sight of one eye as the result of injuries sustained when a horse disputed the right of way with the car in which Miss Lindley was riding with J. N. Colquitt, also of Porterville. The animal is said to have suddenly dashed out of brush alongside the road, jumped upon the running board, on to the radiator, kicking out the windshield, a piece of glass striking Miss Lindley in the eye. Colquitt sustained minor injuries. The horse had to be killed.

Wild deer are making their home in Oakland's Sequoia park, according to a statement issued by Park Superintendent Lee S. Kerfoot. Kerfoot said that on several occasions hikers have reported seeing deer in the park and that investigation by park employees substantiates the reports. The deer have not escaped from the cages in the Oakland zoo, which is now below Sequoia park, Kerfoot said. It is presumed that they entered the park from Contra Costa county and the Livermore range.

The owner of a swarm of bees at Oakville, south of St. Helena, will have a merry chase for his property if he attempts to locate them. They are now well on their way to the Atlantic coast. The first of the week a refrigerator car was loaded at the Southern Pacific station with wine consigned to New York. The bees took up their residence between the walls of the car, entering through a small hole at the eaves, and immediately settled down to their usual work.

Construction of permanent fenders about the center piers of the Carquinez bridge is being delayed until the war department decides the best type to be used to prevent vessels being swept from their course by the swift currents in the straits suffering damage by contact with the piers. For temporary purpose of safety barges have been anchored in the fanlike formation and connected by cables.

A trial shipment of fifteen fine Angora wool rabbits was recently started on a long ocean journey to Japan by the Angora Rabbit Products Company of San Dimas.

An unusual freak, an egg within an egg, was brought into Dinuba by Charles Bottorff, Mrs. A. Carricker of Woodlake has a flock of Plymouth Rocks. One of the hens has been laying a double-yolked egg every day. This particular egg measures 9 1/2 by 6 1/2 inches. The inner egg has a hard shell.

Tulare county streams are carrying a heavy head of water as result of melting snows, following recent warm weather, but no flood danger is anticipated. Summer apparel has been donated and ice-cream vendors are doing a thriving business.

J. L. Cranston, the Hemet district forest ranger, announces that the federal forestry department has allotted \$17,500 to the San Bernardino national forest for watershed protection.

A stampede has been in progress from Bakersfield to Basin Creek, six miles east, on Plute mountain, where a strike running from \$100 to \$300 a ton in gold from free milling ore, was reported authoritatively last week.

The Postal Telegraph Company was recently ordered by the railroad commission to appear May 13 to explain why they have discontinued their office at Pomona. Residents of the locality objected when the company closed its office March 31.

Ordained as a Baptist minister on April 22, Thomas F. Dixon of San Bernardino, and his bride will leave May 23 for Managua, Nicaragua. Mr. Dixon has accepted a call as pastor of the Managua Baptist church by the Schofield faith mission.

The new Colfax Memorial hall, erected by public subscription at a cost of \$15,000 in honor of those who gave their lives for their country in the World War, was dedicated at Colfax April 23. Lt. Governor Burton Pitts was the speaker of the day.

Articles of incorporation of the Pacific Water Company, a \$3,000,000 San Francisco corporation, were filed last week with Frank C. Jordan, secretary of state. The Citrus Realty Company, a \$1,000,000 Los Angeles concern, also filed its papers with Jordan.

E. L. Oleson, horticultural inspector for the West Riverside district, is the leader of a boys' horticultural club whose project is to grow trees from seeds. Much interest is being shown in the district in tree planting, both for ornamentals and for windbreaks.

Traver, "ghost city" of San Joaquin valley, a thriving mart of a great grain-shipping district on the Southern Pacific in early days, resounded with life again on April 24, when native sons and daughters from all sections of California "came home." Each spring former Traver residents journey back to renew old-time acquaintances.

Concrete is being poured for the foundations of the new Lucerne Hotel at Lucerne, on the east shore of Clear Lake, the townsite of the Clear Lake Beach Company. A unit of 100 rooms is to be built this year, with further additions to be made later. The cost of the entire building is estimated by Palmer & Becker, the owners, at \$650,000.

The city trustees of Manteca held a special meeting this week to discuss the advisability of purchasing the Manteca water works, an offer having been made to the city through Attorney Guard Durrah at a price of \$50,000. This offer was said to be \$3,500 less than a previous offer made, although the water company claims to have made many improvements since that time.

The first of the location surveys for the Stockton deep water channel and harbor project are to begin within the next week. Major J. A. Dorst, army engineer from the office of District Engineer C. S. Ridley, San Francisco, arrived to take active charge of the work. Location surveys, said Major Dorst, should be completed by October 1. Two field crews of eight men each will be placed on the work.

Actual work toward improvement of Stockton's aviation field began last week. The field, located on Sharp's Lane, about five miles from the center of Stockton, will be ready for use and will be dedicated on May 7, when fifty planes fly here from the second annual aeronautical conference to be held in San Francisco, May 6. The field comprises over 180 acres and is now being graded, marked, fenced and provided with runways and indicators.

Claude Smiley, 21, a ranch laborer, sustained a narrow escape from death last week when a mowing machine blade sliced off a portion of his scalp as he lay asleep in the weeds near the Davis agricultural college farm. W. P. Hodgson of Davis was driving a tractor to which was hitched the mower and did not see the prostrate man until after the blade struck him. The injured man was rushed to the emergency hospital at Sacramento where he was treated.

Over 1,000 automobiles are entering California through the Yuma-Imperial valley gateway each week, according to figures made public by inspection officers stationed at Fort Yuma bridge. The record showed that cars entering the state during March was 4025. The inspectors state that traffic has been heavier this month than during March and it is predicted that with large numbers of Arizona residents going to the coast for the summer, the present figures will be doubled during May, June and July. According to figures available here, motor travel into California over the Lee and Bankhead highways at Yuma is heavier than the combined travel to the state over the Sunlight route at Blythe and the Old Trails highway at Needles.

Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover, who visited Siskiyou county last year, has recently purchased the Woolley ranch near Somers Bar, where he will spend his summer vacations. There is now under way a log lodge. It is hewn from Siskiyou county trees.

A new textile mill is being prepared for business at Corcoran which will have as its principal output cords for auto tires. The company has taken over the old Corcoran sugar mill property and made an approximate investment of \$170,000 in equipment and machinery.

Construction of timbers, some of them freighted overland by team and others hewn from sugar pine drift wood washed down the San Joaquin river during a freshet in the '50s, the rambling early-day one-story mansion of Mrs. George W. Mordecai, Sr., pioneer Madera county resident, was destroyed by a fire last week, supposedly due to a defective flue.

A modern \$100,000 branch of the Bank of Italy shortly will grace one of the most historic sites in Marin county, the ground once occupied by the original adobe county courthouse at San Rafael.

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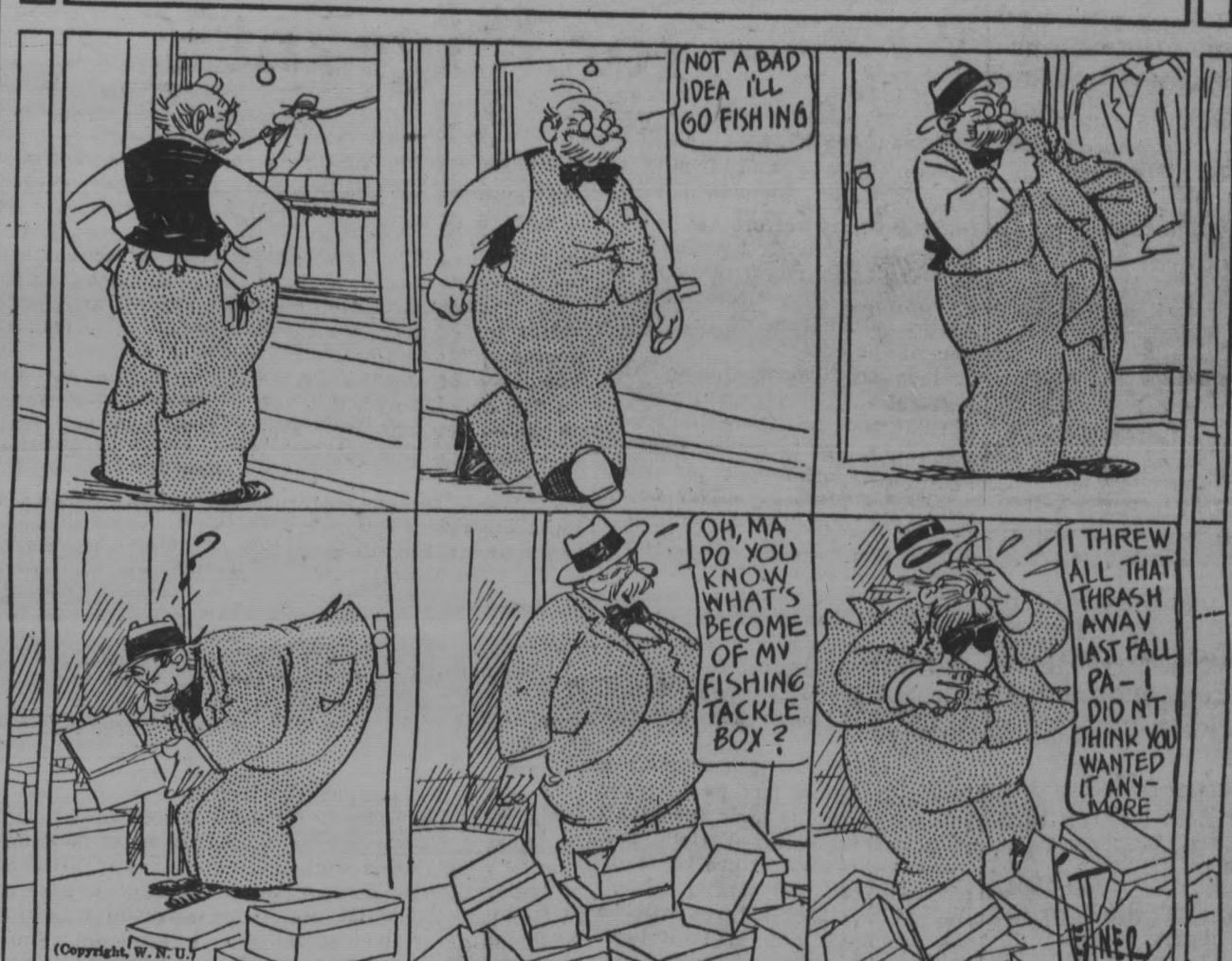
Bye-bye, Gold-digger

THE UNDERSTUDY BROKE DOWN AND WEPT WHEN SHE LEARNED THE STAR WAS SUDDENLY TAKEN ILL.



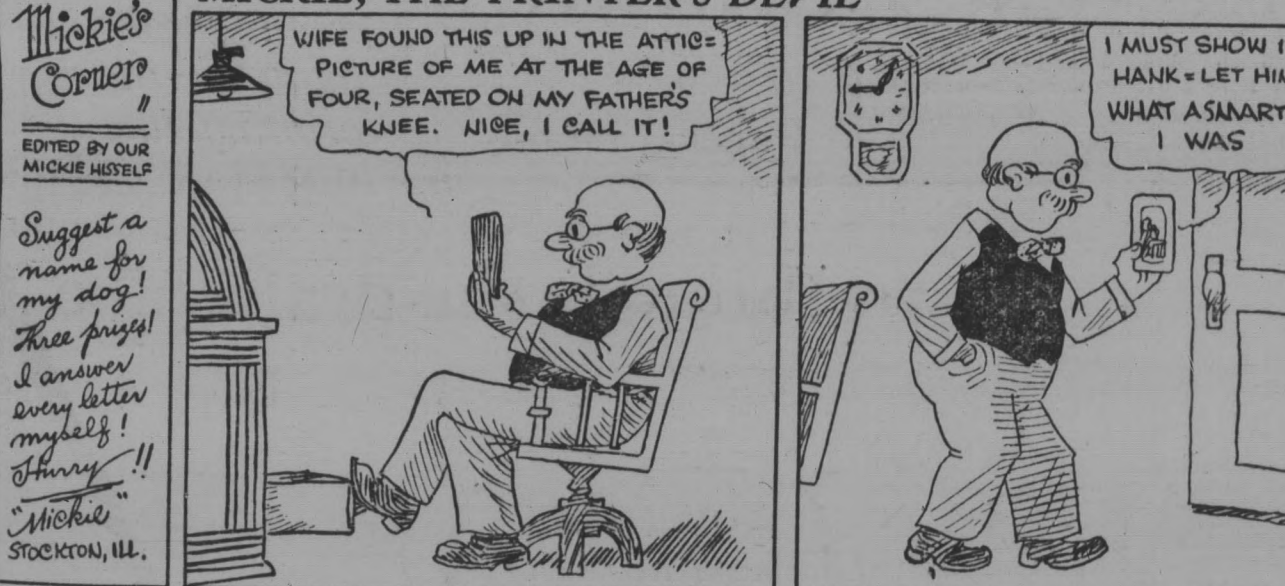
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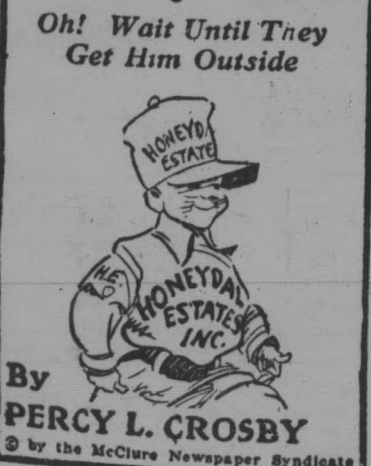
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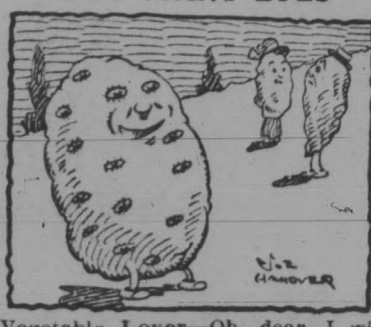
The Clancy Kids



Embarrassing Misprint
A singularly embarrassing misprint occurred not long ago, and the medical council are said to be up in arms. "The doctor felt the patient's pulse," the sentence ran, "and declared there was no hope."—The Outlook.

Passed on Everything
"How's your son getting along in school?"
"Pretty well. I sent him a new speedster, and he writes that he's passing everything."

TOO MANY EYES



that Potato wouldn't look this way when we want to spoon!
In French Africa
So diversified is the native population of French West Africa that official reports classify the inhabitants under more than fifty groups. Some very extensive areas of this region are practically deserted, while others have a population as high as fifty persons to the square kilometer. The total number of white people is not over 10,000.

WHAT STRUCK HIM MOST



her pretty lips?" Second Sport—"Not as much as I was by her pretty hand."
Uses for Vulcanite
Vulcanite, or ebonite, is a dark brown or black form of India rubber. Its hardness is due to the presence of more sulphur than soft rubber contains, and to the fact that it is "vulcanized" at a high temperature. It is used for the mouthpieces of pipes, for combs, for screw-stoppers in bottles, and largely as an insulator in electrical instruments.

More Sarcasm

Walter—How did you order your steak, sir?
Impatient Diner—Orally. I'm sorry to say, I see now that I should have ordered it by mail two weeks in advance.—The American Boy Magazine.

Food's Value Proved

In the Canary Islands the staple food is gofio, a meal made of wheat, rye and maize mixed. The fitness of the islanders proves the wonderful value of this mixed meal.

To Clean Aluminum

Save the energy you would ordinarily use in cleaning darkened aluminum—save yourself the expense, too, small as it is, of an aluminum polish. For the simplest way to take off dark stains on aluminum is to cook applesauce or tomatoes in the dish. The acid of the food will brighten the aluminum and it has absolutely no effect which is in any way harmful upon the food, nor does it in any way change the nutritive value of the food.—Chicago Journal.

Spanish Strike in Arizona

THE region now known as the State of Arizona was a remote mountain area in the northern section of Spain's American possessions back in the Eighteenth century. As early as 1690 Spain had sent expeditions into the districts now known as California, New Mexico and Arizona, and some gold and silver had been found. In 1788 a remarkable deposit of silver nuggets was discovered in Arizona, but it was exhausted in three years. The celebrated and rich silver strike in the Santa Rita mountains of Arizona, made in the year 1769, has been described in an old Spanish work entitled "Apostolic Labours of the Society of Jesus." It says:
"In the year 1769 a region of virgin silver was discovered on the frontier of the Apaches, a tribe exceedingly warlike and brave, at the place called Arizona.
"News of such surprising wealth attracted a vast multitude to the spot. At a depth of a few yards masses of the silver of a globular form and 25 to 50 pounds in weight were found, and one lump, discovered by a government official, weighed 3,500 pounds. Many persons amassed huge fortunes, while others, equally diligent in the search, found nothing."
Under the pretense that he was acting for the safety of the treasure that had been discovered, the captain general of the district sent troops who escorted the silver train bearing this wealth to his own headquarters. When he had his hands on it he seized it in the name of the crown, claiming that it had been found on crown property. The discoverers had little liking for this procedure and appealed to the Mexican authorities at Guadalajara, but they were unwilling to take action and referred the whole matter to the royal court at Madrid. Seven years dragged by before an order came from the Spanish crown, and even then it dashed the hopes of the miners. The crown claimed the entire property and whatever it had produced.
This discouraging situation, together with repeated attacks by hostile Indians, finally put an end to mining in the Santa Rita mountains and no further important mining was done in Arizona until about 1870. Then came the silver strike at the town of Tombstone, so named, it is said, because of the frequent demand that arose for something to decorate a grave.
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Help The Red Cross Help

WITH the area of the floods in the southern states growing daily, and thousands rendered homeless by the devastation, the call upon the Red Cross becomes hourly greater and more insistent. The Red Cross is the only organization of broad enough scope and sufficient backing to meet an emergency of this kind, and it is meeting the emergency with every available resource.

Even the Red Cross, however, is limited to the extent that its finances are limited, and relying as it does for its resources upon the generosity of the American people, it comes now before the nation with one of the most urgent appeals since the days of the great war.

We of California can look back twenty-one years to the days of the great fire and remember the lines of refugees waiting for food or clothing, and the camps hurriedly built in parks and vacant lots to accommodate the homeless. This was one city. Imagine this condition now spreading to several states. But here the homeless are not only without food and shelter, but are actually marooned on little islands in a great sea of mud and water. Thousands are drowned and other thousands are starving. All means of transportation are either entirely inoperative or greatly hampered. These are a few of the difficulties that the Red Cross is facing in its efforts to alleviate the sufferings of the people in the flooded areas. These are the conditions that your contribution to the Red Cross today will help to relieve.

Being A Radical

IN some of the ancient countries we learn of outlaws for whom there was no protection, they roamed around at pleasure, but were game for anyone who could overpower, capture or kill them. The possession of certain ideas would seem to place the possessor in very similar predicament in certain parts of the United States. In Massachusetts, for instance, two men are convicted of murder. The evidence against them would not convict a man of petty larceny, but both men were known to be radicals and both were convicted.

Those men were nominally on trial for murder, but were in reality being tried for holding radical views. The murder charge could never in fairness have been made to hold, but of the two men being radically inclined there was no doubt. Hence the conviction.

We picture Justice as the blind goddess. Perhaps it would be well occasionally to remove the blindfold and allow the light to penetrate to the dark recesses of judicial procedure.

Bathing the Baby After the Tub Runs Dry

Objects of immediate importance; Protection of the Colorado river control project has three of the Imperial Valley; generation of cheap power for Arizona, Nevada and California; production of additional supply of domestic water for the Los Angeles territory.

The first of these objectives needs immediate action. The second—more and cheaper hydro-electric power—will be of chief immediate benefit to Arizona. California can get along very well without the Colorado river power. The third objective—more water for Los Angeles pots and bath tubs—is not needed to supply the present wants. This winter's heavy rains have so replenished reservoirs above and below ground throughout the Southwest that both the cities and the farmers will have enough water for at least two years. And the present wet year, if precedent is of value, will probably be succeeded by three or four similar rainy seasons.

But another cycle of dry years is coming just as certainly as the country will be inundated by political hogwash every fourth year. NOW is the time to get ready. It will be too late to bathe the baby after the water has run out of the tub—May Sunset.

BOY SCOUTS TO AID GOODWILL SALVAGE DRIVE

Every home has many discarded and outgrown garments, worn shoes, broken and discarded furniture, stoves, newspapers, magazines cluttering up closets, basements or attics and doing no one any good.

The good will industries can use these cast-off articles to give employment to old and crippled people who cannot find any other employment.

The good will industries is a non-profit association organized by public-spirited men for just that purpose.

The week of May 7 to May 14 is Good Will Salvage Week, and the Boy Scouts are going to help by asking people to save

these waste articles, and have them bundled and ready on the sidewalk when the truck calls on Saturday, May 14, 1927.

The co-operation of the people of Redwood City is asked by the Boy Scouts in the following ways:

1. Accumulate usable and repairable clothing and articles of all kinds, old newspapers, magazines, etc.
2. Bundle each class of article in some way so it can be conveniently loaded and unloaded.
3. Place all articles near the curb not later than 9 a. m., Saturday, May 14. (If raining, place perishable articles on porch.)

The articles will be picked up by a truck manned by Boy Scouts on the above date.

Remember the day, Saturday, May 14.

We're Goin' to Gran'ma's!

It won't be long before we go to Gran'ma's house again; An' say, I guess you oughter know We'll have a big time then! They live way back in Illinois; That means we'll drive it in About two days an' then—Oh, boy, The fun 'll just begin!

Our ol' home town is full o' folks That treat us awful good— Invite us to their house, an' coax Us kids t' eat. I could Eat all the stuff they want me to, But mother shakes her head, 'Cause she knows if I ever do I'll hafta go t' bed.

There's lots o' cousins waitin' there For us t' come an' play; We'll be so poplar everywhere We'll hate t' break away. An', gee, it's fun out on a farm! We run a mile or more An' there ain't nothin' we can harm— Nor neighbors to get sore.

But where I'm anxious t' be Than any other place Is at my Gran'ma's house, an' see The smile that's on her face. She'll be so glad t' hug us all She'll hafta stop an' cry; An' then I'll hear my Gran'ma call "Well, who's all this? Hi-yi!"

Students and Faculty Working for Pageant

Using "co-operation" as their slogan, students and faculty of Sequoia Union High School are bending every effort to make the remaining week between now and May 14 count for the most in order to present a successful pageant production of the "Pageant of the Sea."

Stage crew work under the management of LeRoy Strinsky is being finished up in first-class style, according to opinions voiced by students and faculty members. A circular piece of beaver board extending thirty-two feet into the air has been erected by the crew. Upon this, a stereopticon machine will be focused showing the new, adopted school seal in all its colors. The many powerful lights will obtain their electricity from a huge dynamo that was loaned to the local institution for the pageant.

Six episodes, a prologue, a flower interlude, and an epilogue will make up the hour and a half of entertainment. Various sections of the pageant are being rehearsed every night after school. One of the big features will be the dancing. Mrs. A. L. Robertson, dancing coach at Sequoia, has been busy for the past month instructing solo dancers in their technique. Each of the ten spirits evolved in the episodes will have a dancer to represent the part. In addition to this, the Spirit of Sequoia will be represented in dance. All but two of the soloists have had previous experience as dancers. A large number are second year dancing students.

The Spirits of Wisdom and Leadership will be presented in the first episode of the production. Chief Sequoyah, the Cherokee Indian, after whom the school is named, will be shown as he devised the Cherokee alphabet. Braves and Indian maidens complete the cast of the initial episode.

Padres of the early missions give the theme for the two spirits. Faith and Endeavor, in the second of the six parts. Two parties meet on El Camino Real and tell stories of the early happenings in this locality. It is in this scene that a fat, dirty Mexican tells of the finding of the hut of Las Pulgas, Spanish for fleas, so named because of it being infested with these insects. The man enters the novel and becomes covered with small pests. He comes running out, yelling "Las Pulgas! Las Pulgas!"

Don Louis Arguello receives notification of his appointment as Governor of California in episode three of the Spanish Dons. Spanish dancing and the unfolding of the Spirit of Glory are the high lights of this episode. Former well-known owners of the Sequoia campus are remembered in the "Estate Episode," part four. When the present mechanical art building was opened as a stable for the blooded horses of Moses Hopkins, one of the biggest social events of the time was held. Society leaders from San Francisco to Monterey were invited to the all-night party. This event will occupy one scene of this episode. A sheriff's sale of the campus at which the parcel was purchased for \$250 by Horace Hawes is shown in another scene while the planting of some rare flowers will be depicted in the remaining scene. Episode four and the flower interlude that follows evolve the Spirit of Beauty.

The Idealism shown by the first board of trustees is shown in the fifth part. How the Native Sons dedicated the building will be illustrated. This episode is known as the "Trustees' Episode."

Sequoia students evolve three

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POST OFFICE FORCE GUESTS AT SHOW

The entire force of the local post office were guests of the Sequoia Theatre, Monday evening. The feature of the evening was "Special Delivery," a comedy feature of the experiences of the letter carrier. Eddie Cantor was the star of the production.

D. E. WALTERS AND WIFE ARE ENJOYING CANADA TRIP

Word was received this week from Dave L. Walters of the firm of Lambert & Walters of this city, who with his wife are making a tour of Canada. The local people have made stops at New Orleans, Washington, Quebec and Montreal. From the latter place they are planning to sail for England and will make a tour of Europe. They expect to return in October.

WORK TO START ON BAYSHORE ROAD

The state highway commission has been impetuous to begin work on the bayshore highway from the outskirts of Redwood City near Middlefield road to Palo Alto. The route is level and could be constructed without much cost. The property owners along the course have nearly all given rights of way to the state for this proposed thoroughfare and it is but fair to them that the work should be started as soon as possible. In some cases property owners have given property valued as high as \$25,000 for this road as a right of way. The gasoline tax bill has been passed by the legislature whereby sufficient funds may be raised to pay for all construction work. The bill raises the tax from two to three cents a gallon.

The congestion is so great on the state highway that it is almost impossible to travel on it during business hours. Another road is imperative.

MOTHER OF MRS. M'NEIL DIES IN P. A.

Mrs. Minnie Brier Gibson of Palo Alto, mother of Mrs. L. N. M'Neil of this city, passed away here in the former city Sunday morning. Mrs. Gibson had been in ill health for some time. Her death was a severe shock to her family and friends. Mrs. Gibson is survived by her husband, S. C. Gibson of Palo Alto and three sons and two daughters. The sons are Bruce S. Gibson, president of the San Mateo chamber of commerce; J. R. Gibson of the same city; and Paul Gibson, former district attorney of Humboldt county. The daughters are Mrs. M'Neil of this city and Mrs. Daisy May Butler of San Francisco. Funeral services were held in Palo Alto on Tuesday.

MEMBERS HEAR OF NEW INDUSTRY HEAR

Members of the Chamber of Commerce were given interesting information Monday concerning the latest addition to Redwood City industries, the manufacture of bubblestone. Thomas J. Hampton, president of the Monterey Bubblestone Co., was the chief speaker at the luncheon meeting of the chamber of commerce and spoke on the product he plans to manufacture at a plant now in process of construction here. The bubblestone is a product of cement and sand. It is a non-conductor of heat and is very resistant to stress or cracking, and is said to be unusually suitable as a building material. The plant for the manufacture is located on the land of the Redwood Harbor Company, just south of the Pacific Portland Cement Company's plant.

WAS HIGH NOON; WEDDING, VERY HIGH

The marriage was at high noon, and the party was "all up in the air." The event was the wedding of D. A. Templeton and Miss Dorothy Lee Burke, both of San Francisco. Templeton is a commercial aviator and chose as the scene of his nuptials a spot several thousand feet above Redwood City. After securing a license here, the party consisting of the bride and groom-to-be, the best man, Ralph Shelton of San Mateo and the bridesmaid, Miss Mary Hunt of San Francisco and Rev. Aubrey H. Clark, pastor of the First Methodist church here climbed in Purcell's five-passenger machine and headed for the sky. When sufficiently high to make the groom feel at ease, the "Bride Pilot" took charge and piloted the party through the intricacies of the wedding service.

LOCAL CHILD IS GIVEN HEALTH BY S. F. HOSPITAL

Due to the care he received from doctors and nurses at the Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children in San Francisco, little Richard Dean War, grandson of Mrs. Charles War of this city, is now able to walk, a privilege he has not enjoyed since he was born. The little fellow is now five years old, having spent his fifth birthday in the Shriners' Hospital.

More than four years ago when Richard was only seven months old he contracted a case of pneumonia. He recovered from this malady, but it left in its wake an affection of the hip joints and a serious condition of the bones. From that time on the child was a helpless cripple.

Hearing of the Shriners' hospital the parents of the little sufferer took him to San Francisco, but found that the hospital was filled to capacity. The doctors, however, took up the case and he was given treatments under which he improved. After a year of waiting for a chance to get into the hospital the time finally came when he could be placed in the hospital and under the direct and personal care of the most eminent child specialists in the country. Here Richard with hundreds of other little tots with weak and twisted bones and misshapen bodies, was given the skillful care which in time conquered his handicap. He can now walk with crutches, and for a short distance without them. Soon he will be strong and healthy as a boy of five should be and will be able to discard his crutches entirely. On Tuesday of this week little Richard, accompanied by his mother, returned to his home in King City.

The Shriners' Hospital is maintained for the care of crippled children, and the care given there is not surpassed in any institution of its kind in the world.

PESCADERO

Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby visited in San Mateo Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Steven Kelly visited Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Enos Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Reznice visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore over the week end.

Mrs. George Nottley motored to San Francisco Tuesday. Miss Ida Rodriguez was a visitor in San Mateo last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore were visitors of the Williamson family Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Poppiano was a visitor with the Rodriguez family last Sunday.

George White of Redwood City was a visitor here over the week end.

Graham McCormick visited his

NAMES OF ROADS TO BE CHANGED

Action, which it is hoped, will eventually result in the formation of a second highway along this side of the peninsula was taken on Monday when County Engineer George Kneese appeared before the board of supervisors and asked that the names of certain streets be changed. The streets concerned are Brittan avenue west of San Carlos, Ashley avenue and Foothill boulevard, west of Redwood City. Kneese asked that these be changed to Alameda de las Pulgas.

Kneese explained that these roads and streets form links in the proposed extension of the Alameda de las Pulgas, and that placing all the sections of this road under one name would assist in the preliminary work of connecting the whole.

When completed the Alameda de las Pulgas will form a broad highway from Belmont to the county line on the south and will connect with roads in Santa Clara county paralleling the state highway as far as Los Altos. It is expected that when completed the road will be continued on to San Francisco and will form another highway along the peninsula.

mother here over the week end.

Edward Weeks and son, Milton, were San Francisco visitors Friday.

Joe Duarte and Frank were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Duarte this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mesquite were visitors here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Antonio George have been spending the week here.

The P. T. A. May Day picnic was a great success.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brageatia of San Mateo were visitors of the E. Steele family over the week end.

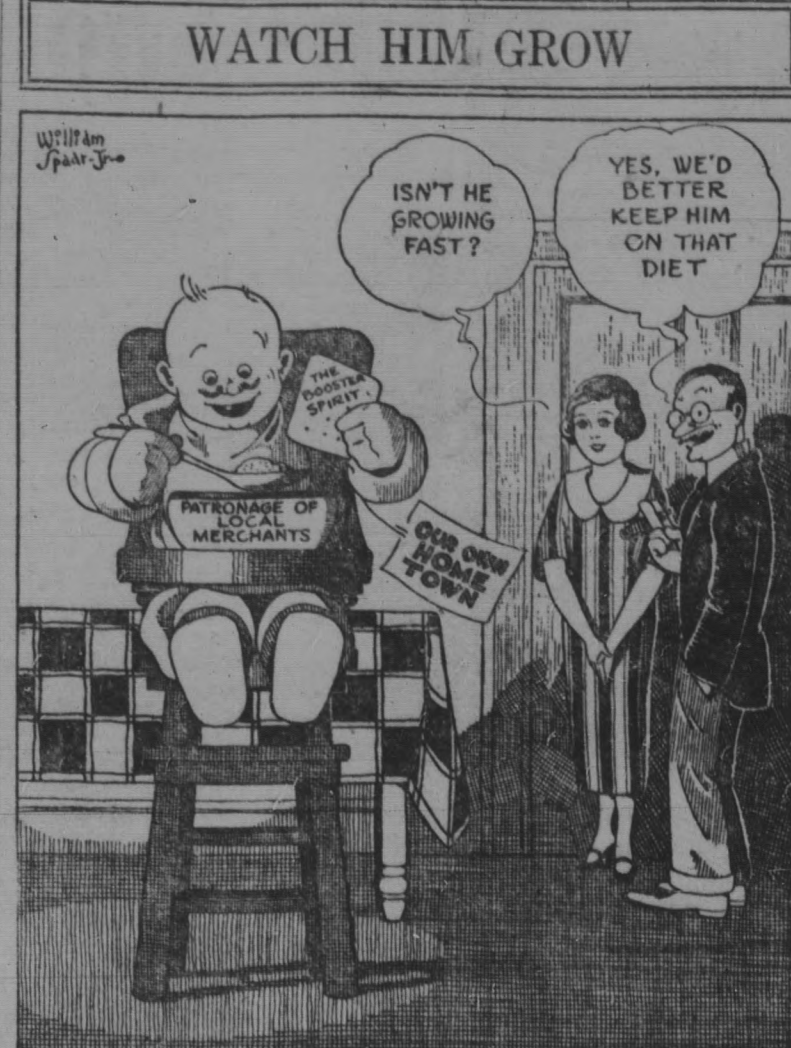
John Ralston was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Ralston over the week end.

Mrs. Luis and son, Alfred, and daughter Grace, accompanied by Edward Rodriguez, motored to San Francisco Thursday.

H. C. FINKLER RECEIVES
SUPREME COURT HONORS

H. C. Finkler of this city received the congratulations of the California State Supreme Court this week upon the completion of his 49th year as secretary to that body. Finkler was appointed by Justice A. L. Rhodes, succeeding his father, Carl Finkler, who had held the position for 10 years. He has held it ever since.

When presented with the congratulations of the court, Finkler attributed his good health to the fresh air of Redwood City and to his favorite sports, sawing wood and riding a bicycle.



Redistricting May Be Considered For This County

Although the petition for a writ of mandate to compel the board of supervisors of this county to redistrict the county's supervisory districts was denied by Judge Buck, it is not unlikely that some action may be taken by the board itself in the near future. The petition was denied by Judge Buck not on the ground that the request was unjustified, but because he claimed that the petition was not sufficient.

There has been much friction in certain sections of the county because of the present inequalities in representation due to the various townships. Several attempts have been made to have the county redistricted, but none have been successful.

Chairman Poole last Monday, however, advised that the board give the matter its serious consideration. It is likely that the board may hold an executive meeting before long when the matter will be discussed.

FULLER WILL IS
FILED FOR PROBATE

The will of George H. Fuller, \$2, founder of the Fuller Desk Company, was filed for probate Tuesday in the Superior Court here. He died March 26, leaving an estate valued at \$9000.

After bequests are made his niece, Bertha S. Smith of 217 Villa terrace, San Mateo, Fuller leaves the balance of the estate to his son, George C. Fuller.

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REFUGEES FROM CHINAS HARE RED CROSS FUND

American refugees, evacuated from Hankow and other danger points in the Yangtze Valley to Shanghai, are being assisted by American Red Cross funds. In response to an urgent appeal from the American Consul General at Shanghai, transmitted through the Department of State, \$10,000 was made available for relief. The cable stated:

"First two ship loads of refugees from Nanking arrive here tomorrow. Nanking Consul reports that many are destitute and will require assistance. Reports from Hankow and elsewhere in Yangtze valley state that rapid evacuation to Shanghai is taking place. This creates emergency situation with several hundred Americans in actual want and needing food and shelter who have no present means of support. For this purpose I urge appropriation of \$10,000, to be used under the supervision of Consulate General by Civilian Committee already co-operating with me."

FATHER OF LOCAL WOMAN PASSES AWAY MONDAY

Funeral services were held here Monday for John Otto Riechers, 73, a native of Germany, who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Payne on Oak Knoll Drive. Services were held in the chapel of Layne and Timney and were conducted by Rev. Henry B. Thomas of St. Peter's Episcopal church. Interment was in Alta Mesa cemetery at Mayfield.

WRIT IS FILED FOR ESTATE

Petition for letters of administration in the estate of Celestina Giorgi, Coima street car victim was filed Tuesday in the Superior Court here by Adelino Arata and Emma Passaglia, children. Mrs. Giorgi died at South San Francisco, March 30, 1927. Her estate is valued at \$10,000. She is survived by eight children.

FASHIONS SPOTLIGHT SHIFTS TO STRAWS

Tuesday officially marked the opening of the new season for straw hats. The Leghorn straw seems to be a favorite among the well dressed men, while the Panama is running a close second. The Senoit and Swiss straws find a place in the wardrobe of the better dressed men. Many of the new straw hats are shown with colorful bands.

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Grape Juice From Fancy Concord—Pints 27c Quarts 53c	Tomatoes Solid Pack Large 2 1/2 Cans 43c
Rice Fancy Long Grain, Southern Rice 5 Pounds 39c	Flour Guaranteed Minnesota Brand 24 1/2 Pound Bag \$1.03
Crackers Fresh-crisp Snowflake Sodas Per Caddy 39c	Soap Crystal White or P. & G. Naptha 10 Bars 33c
Clorox Bleaching Water 2 Bottles 29c	White King Powder 2 Large Packages 83c
Salad Oil Golden West 23 Ounce Bottle Per Bottle 33c	Pastes, Fontana Macaroni, Spaghetti and Egg Noodles 3 Packages 19c
Potatoes Fancy No. 1 Idaho's 10 Pounds 33c	
Real Savings In Our Meat Department —Saturday Only—	
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VEAL ROAST Shoulder Milk Fed 20c lb.	BREAST and Neck of Veal 15c lb.

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RICE Fancy Head 3 LBS. 25c	Grapefruit Sections of Sweet Florida Fruit No. 2 can 19c
PEACHES Gold Leaf Melba Halves Lge. No. 2 1/2 19c	

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MONDAY GETS PERMIT TO HAVE PILES DRIVEN

As practically all property owners in the block bounded by Main, Webster and Washington streets and Broadway have expressed themselves as favoring the creation of a new street bisecting the block parallel to Main street, proceedings were started by City Attorney Manfield on Monday for the creation of an improvement district to proceed with the project.

The construction of the proposed street will necessitate the purchase of property owned by John W. Munday, and on which he is planning to erect a building. This caused a slight hitch in the proceedings. Munday appeared before the board Monday evening and requested a building permit that he might proceed with the driving of piles for the foundation of the proposed building.

In as much as the piles will be of no value if the street is put through the permit was refused by the board of trustees. Munday was represented by Attorney John Machado of San Jose. Machado explained to the board that the contract for the driving of the piles had already been signed and that the piles, concrete ones, had been made and could not be moved without a very great expense. Meanwhile the pile driver is on the property and the contractor is asking \$25 a day for keeping the machine in idleness. The matter was, therefore, laid over till Tuesday evening when the property owners could meet and decide what they wished to do in the matter.

On Tuesday practically all the property owners of the block were present as well as the contractor, Munday and Attorney Machado. Machado placed Munday's case before the board and the contractor explained the mechanical difficulties of waiting or moving the piles.

The piles as they stand represent an investment of \$1550. The driving of the piles will be \$390 more, or a total of \$1940. Either of these amounts would eventually be borne by the property owners when the street is put through.

The question before them as explained by Mayor Beeger was whether they would guarantee Munday the expense of having the pile-driver removed and then brought here again and the piles driven in the event that something unforeseen occurs that might block the street procedure, or whether they would have Munday granted a permit to drive the piles and pay the \$390 extra on the purchase price of the land.

Among the property owners who addressed the board were Dan Flynn, Carl Muller, Bud Thorpe, L. Deluchi, Miss Hansen, Mrs. C. Graves, John Poole and G. B. Merrill. All favored granting the permit. This was accordingly done by Building Inspector Drathman upon the advice from the board.

SHEEP RAISERS GRANTED FUNDS

County assistance in the war of the sheepmen against coyotes and other predatory animals of the hills was secured on Monday. Sheepmen from all parts of the county gathered Monday morning at the meeting of the board of supervisors to request that \$1500 be appropriated by the county. This amount will be equalled by the State Biological Survey under the Department of Agriculture and men from the Biological Survey will be sent here to make war on the predatory animals.

R. K. Stewart of the State Biological Survey and W. P. Wayne of the California Wool Growers Association were present and urged the action before the board. Stewart explained the methods used in poisoning coyotes. Every provision is made, he stated, to protect deer and other game animals and all poison is taken up during the hunting season to protect dogs. In sections where dogs are used by ranchers or others, traps are used for the coyotes.

Wayne showed by means of a map the number of counties which are co-operating with the state in the destruction of the bob cats and coyotes. The greater portion of the state is now carrying on this work, and the reduction in the number of predatory animals is resulting in greatly increased flocks of sheep.

Sheepmen from Pescadero, Portola, Pomponio and other parts of the county addressed the board. It was stated by some raisers that there are at present more 15000 sheep in this county and that if proper protection is given against the enemies of the sheep that the number would be increased to 30,000 by next year.

Supervisor Hickey addressed the board in favor of granting the aid sought by the sheep raisers. A motion setting aside the required amount was made by Supervisor Thompson and passed unanimously. The work of coyote control will begin on July 1.

Thirty Years Ago

May 8, 1907

Jacob Kreiss is constructing a bridge across the creek from J. C. Hers paint shop to Bement & Wilson's blacksmith shop on Bridge street.

The railroad has constructed something like a half a mile of track over the strip of land given the company for a right-of-way by N. J. Brittan, Johnston and others, between San Carlos and Redwood City.

Robert Brown, the contractor, is putting on an addition to the Robinson mansion recently purchased by W. H. Talbot that cost \$2000. Mr. Talbot contemplates making other improvements of a more permanent character in the near future.

Edwin Fish, manager of the Peninsula Lighting Company, has let a contract to Leon Bean for the erection of a two-story building on First street. The stipulated price for the contract is for \$3000. The lower story of the building will contain the Lighting Company's offices and the upper story will be occupied by the engineer. Ground will be broken today for the structure.

William Paper, who conducts a bootblack stand, has played the role of a Good Samaritan this week. When the arch between Main and Bridge streets was taken down, a quantity of nails was scattered over the street, to the constant danger of passing horses. Mr. Paper applied himself industriously until the last nail had been picked up, gathering in all about two cigar boxes full.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock an interesting bicycle race will be held. The start will be from Belmont and the finish at Finger's bridge. The following riders and the handicap given: Al Becker, scratch; James Hansen, ten seconds; C. Hammerson, fifteen seconds; F. Barry, twenty-five seconds; Hall Ross, forty-five seconds; C. Lovie, forty-five seconds; W. Emmet, forty-five seconds.

Real Estate Transfers

Instruments filed in the office of the recorder of San Mateo County on April 13, 1937, as reported by San Mateo County Title Co.

April 28 1937

East Shore Land Co. to C. T. & W. S. Guerin L 29, 30, 33, 39, Redwood Heights.

M. Romero and wife to Paul Romero Qc. L 10, NE 1-2 of 9, Bk. 44, E. Addition.

The Dosses Co. to Same Same Property.

Redwood Highlands Co. to J. R. Sanderson and wife L 14, Bk. 37, Redwood Highlands.

Redwood Highlands Co. to Ida E. Lee L 23, Bk 24, Redwood Highlands.

Raymond E. Mitchell and wife to Regina Hess L 15, Bk 11, Dingle Park.

W. C. Empey and wife to Thomas Tuttle 103 feet 6 inches on Main street by 125 feet, Pt. Bk 3, Hancock's Add.

H. W. Schaberg and wife to Frank P. Osborn L 6, Bk 35, Redwood Highlands.

Richard Coombs and wife to August W. Ahlborn and wife L 9, Bk 1, Woodside Highland.

J. E. Bishop and wife to Kate C. Lakey L 1, 2, 3, Bk 3, Sub. 1, Ravenswood.

May 2

Alice V. Clark to Joseph F. Dinman and wife L 6, Bk 10, Range C, Town.

Louis T. Samuels and wife to William D. Wasson L 49 and 50, Hermosa Tract.

Lawrence R. Coates and wife to Charles W. Marzac L 1 and 2, Bk 10, North Fair Oaks.

Annie M. Graham to George Moore L 34, Bk 2, North Fair Oaks.

May 3

Peninsula Imp. Co. to Virginia H. Myers Tr. Pt. L 14, Bk 4, Edgewood Park, adj. L 7, 15 feet in rear.

Julius Sandberg to Wilhelmina C. Sandberg L 6, Bk 24, Oak Knoll Manor.

Earl M. Milbourn and wife to Chester O. Houghton and wife L 8, Bk 2, Sub. L 2, W. W. and M. Sub.

C. W. Strouse and wife to E. Dixon L 6 and 66, Bk 6, North Fair Oaks.

E. Dixon L 6 and 66, Bk 6, North Fair Oaks.

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Same to John B. Norris and wife Ely 50 feet of L 4, Bk 11, Palo Alto Park.

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The Ravenswood School received the Mary Percy Westphall cup for an exhibit of wild flowers at the California Spring Blossom and Wild Flower Show in San Francisco last week. The cup is a silver trophy and stands about seven inches high. It is awarded to the school exhibiting the best selection of wild flowers. The flowers were picked in Ravenswood by the pupils of the school. It is planned that the school to enter an exhibit at the show next year which will be even better than this one. It is hoped that winning the cup will stimulate interest among a larger number of the pupils.

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Fossil Plants Found to Be Very Much Alike

The weird forests of the Coal age that grew in the widely separated swamps of what are now the states of Rhode Island and Missouri were strikingly alike in the plants that composed them, according to Dr. Eda M. Round, writing in the Botanical Gazette. Doctor Round has made a close comparison of fossil plant remains from the sandstones and shales of these regions, and states that more than 50 per cent of the plant species of the two localities were identical. None of the species that grew there those many millions of years ago survives into the present time, but the nearest relatives of some of them are now represented by ferns, club-mosses and scouring rushes or horsetails. Two classes of plants, in some way the most interesting of all, are now totally extinct. These were a group of trailing or vine-like plants related to the ferns, and another group with leaves like ferns but bearing seeds, which are unknown among modern ferns.

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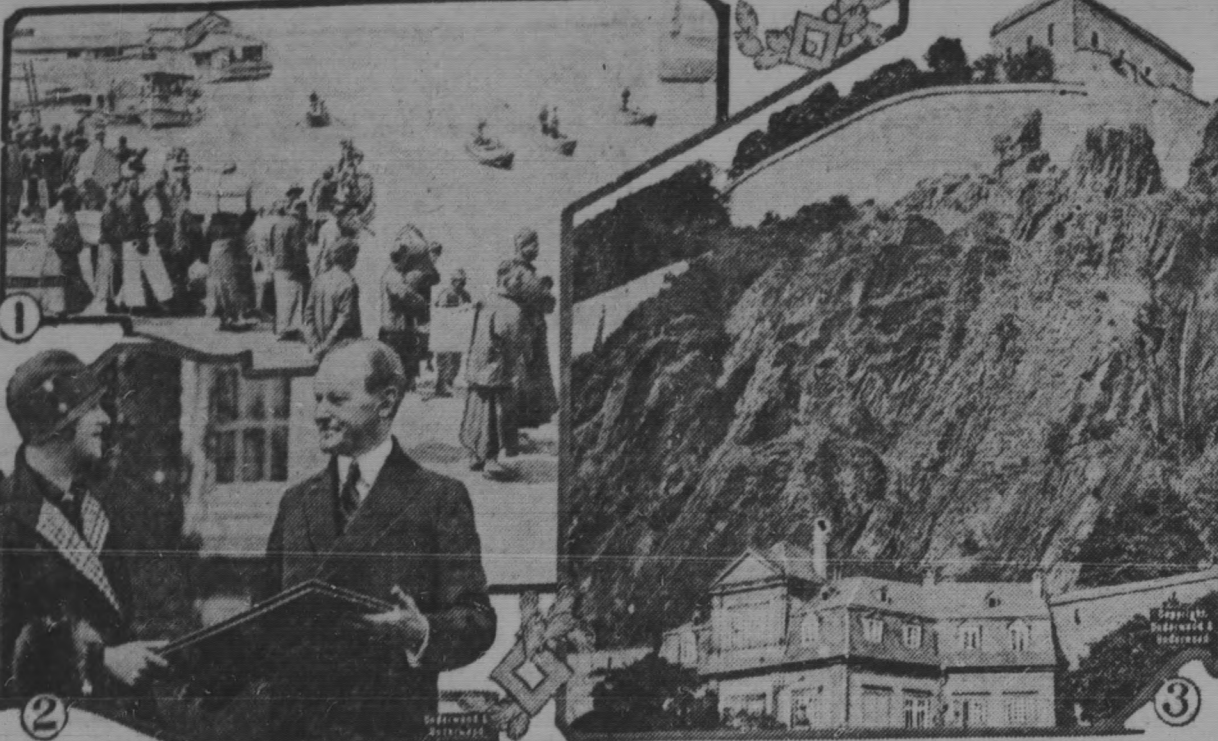
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1—Civilians of Nanking getting away from that city by river boats. 2—President Coolidge receiving from Mrs. W. W. Whittinghill an invitation to spend his vacation at Mackinac Island. 3—Famous German fortress of Ehrenbreitstein at Coblenz, familiar to American doughboys, which is to be demolished in accordance with the Treaty of Versailles.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Floods and Tornadoes Work Havoc in Middle West—Atrocity in Mexico.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

WIND and water wrought havoc throughout the Middle West during the week. Scores of lives were lost, many thousands of persons were driven from their homes, and immense damage, as yet impossible to estimate, was done to property. All down the lower Mississippi valley the river levees were giving way and the waters, increased by heavy rains and driven by high winds, were rushing through towns and submerging farm lands. Refugees by the hundreds were gathered, often unsheltered, on higher ground awaiting succor and in some of their camps, notable along the St. Francis river in Arkansas, measles, whooping cough and mumps broke out.

In southwestern Kansas the rivers were fed by cloudbursts and rose to record heights, inundating vast areas and isolating many towns. The Neosho, Verdigris and Cottonwood rivers were out of their banks. In the region surrounding Kansas City the high waters of the Missouri and Kansas rivers caused extended floods.

Monday and Tuesday a series of tornadoes swept across north Texas, Oklahoma, Missouri, parts of Kansas and through central Illinois. About fifty lives were lost in these storms, twenty-two of the fatalities being in Illinois, and hundreds were injured. Property losses in towns and on farms were severe.

Relief for the flood and storm sufferers was swiftly started by the Red Cross and by state and municipal governments. The War department supplied tents and the soldiers and medical officers of the National Guard in the states affected gave efficient aid.

MEXICAN bandits broke all records for atrocity in that country when they attacked a passenger train near La Barea in the state of Jalisco. The cars were filled with people returning from the Holy week holidays at Lake Chapala and a guard of fifty soldiers was aboard. The bandits, numbering about 500, derailed the train, killed all the soldiers with gun fire, slaughtered many of the passengers and then locked the cars, saturated them with gasoline and set them afire. The scene that followed was horrible beyond description.

Scores of persons, mostly women and children, were burned to death and many of those who broke out of the cars were shot down or clubbed mercilessly. It was believed that more than 100 were killed, in addition to the military guard. Only the passengers who were in two steel Pullman cars escaped death or injury. Among the victims was Donna Refugio Obregon de Ponce de Leon, eldest daughter of General Obregon, former president of Mexico. It was believed the bandits were under the command of a chieftain named Jesus Barajas.

President Calles issued a statement charging that the massacre was perpetrated by rebel bandits under the leadership of Catholic priests and that the latter "received instructions from the episcopate." He said the military escort put up a three-hour resistance against the attacking band, which was headed personally by the priests Vega, Pedraza, and Angulo, the lawyer Loza, who was a member of the League for Defense of Religious Liberty, and a band known as "El Catolico" (Number 14).

MODERATES of the Chinese Nationalist party formally established their capital in Nanking, with Gen. Chiang Kai-shek in control, and the split between them and the communists at Hankow seemed definite. The moderates impeached the Hankow group, and the latter in turn deposed Chiang as commander in chief and ordered his arrest and punishment; Marshal Feng Yu-hsiang, formerly called the "Christian general,"

was named to succeed Chiang. The moderate leader continued his efforts to drive the Red labor unions out of business in Shanghai, Canton and elsewhere. His new commissioner of foreign affairs, Quo Tsi-chi, stated his belief that the "Red Communists," including Mrs. Sun Yat-sen, Tan Yen-kai, Sun Fo, and others, shortly will desert Hankow for Nanking. He does not expect armed clashes between the Nanking and Hankow factions and declares General Chiang will immediately continue the campaign against Gen. Chang Tso-lin and Gen. Chang Chung-chang along the Tientsin-Pukow railway.

Respecting the future attitude of the Nanking government toward the powers, Quo declared: "There is absolutely no change in the Kuomintang party's program respecting the foreigners. We will treat those nations as equal which accord Nationalist China equal treatment."

The sudden shift of Nationalist headquarters from Hankow to Nanking was rather embarrassing to the powers, which were gathering war vessels at the former place apparently for the purpose of enforcing their demand for reparation for the Nanking outrages. The British press in Shanghai thought the forming of the new government was a scheme to avoid responsibility for the Nanking incident.

Marshal Chang in Peking announced that examination of partly burned papers found when the Russian military attaché's office was raided revealed a document from the Third International at Moscow giving directions for the massacre of all foreigners in order to bring about intervention in China as a preliminary to a world revolution. The Peking government sent word to Moscow that the raid was not on the embassy proper but on other buildings in the compound; that while diplomats enjoyed special immunities, they did not have the right to carry on illegal practices.

In carrying out the defense program of the legation quarter in Peking, with consent of the Chinese authorities, it was found the gates of the Russian compound were locked. American marines scaled the wall and forced the gates, after which the guards of the other powers entered and took control of the wall.

Northern troops still were holding Pukow, on the Yangtze opposite Nanking, and firing between the two cities was carried on daily. Several times the northerners fired at American and British vessels that were passing and the latter returned the fire effectively. It was reported in Shanghai that Marshal Sun Chuan-fang, formerly governor of Shanghai and five rich provinces, and who recently defeated the Nationalists along the Yangtze, had joined that party and had been made defense commissioner of northern Kiangsu, the chief salt revenue area.

JAPAN is experiencing a financial crisis which already has brought about the temporary suspension of several banks, although the Bank of Japan is aiding the smaller financial institutions. The Bank of Formosa also was in trouble, following the failure of the great exporting and importing house of Suzuki, and the cabinet planned to assist it. But the privy council did not approve so Premier Wakatsuki and his ministers resigned. Baron Tanaka was made premier and formed what was agreed upon as a strong cabinet, himself holding the portfolio of foreign minister. The public felt reassured that the financial troubles were not over, for on Wednesday the Fifteenth bank, one of the largest in the country, suspended for three weeks.

IN THE course of the week's desultory fighting between the government forces and the liberals in Nicaragua the latter several times fired on detachments of American marines which were guarding railways. The marines, who suffered no casualties, dispersed the attackers with machine gun fire, killing a few of them. It is the impression in Managua that the rebels are making attacks on the marines in order to force the American government to take charge of the country. Henry L. Stimson, investigator for President Coolidge, is holding conferences with various officials

and business men, and there is a good chance that what he recommends will amount to active intervention for the restoration and preservation of order.

FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE G. M. BOUQUIN at San Francisco has ruled that the seizure of the steamer Federalism on the high seas, the arrest of its captain and crew and the confiscation of its million dollar cargo of liquor by coast guard vessels was illegal and a "sheer aggression and trespass" by the United States authorities, contrary to treaty. He also declared that, "a decent respect for the opinions of mankind, national honor, harmonious relations between nations and avoidance of war requires that the contracts represented by treaties shall be scrupulously observed, held inviolate and in good faith, precisely performed—requires that treaties shall not be reduced to 'mere scraps of paper.'"

WHEN the "White House spokesman," in reply to rumors that Secretary of State Kellogg was to resign and was to be succeeded by Secretary of Commerce Hoover, declared that Mr. Kellogg had no intention of quitting his post and that if he did, Mr. Hoover would not be given it, a lot of people assumed that this was meant as a slap at Mr. Hoover. To counteract this impression a warm tribute to the secretary of commerce was made public at the White House. It explained that President Coolidge rather assumed in denying published reports that Mr. Hoover was slated to succeed Mr. Kellogg that it was unnecessary to make mention of his high regard for Mr. Hoover's abilities. The President recognizes that Mr. Hoover's reputation is so well established both in this country and abroad that he doubts very much if he would be able to shake it even if he wished to do so. Mr. Hoover has achieved big things, the President realizes, and the public everywhere has confidence in him. The President regards Mr. Hoover as possessing the ability to fill any position in the cabinet which he might be willing to accept.

STOCKHOLDERS of the United States Steel corporation at the annual meeting ratified the proposal of the directors by which the outstanding share capital will be increased from \$888,583,000 par value to \$1,071,904,000. Of this \$203,321,000 in common stock will be passed along to stockholders in the form of a 40 per cent stock dividend.

Actually the stock dividends, the first distribution of the kind in the corporation's history, is worth to the stockholders \$294,815,450, which is the market value of the additional shares on a "when issued" basis. The entire outstanding share capital of the corporation will have a market value when issued of approximately \$1,071,000,000. The new stock will be placed on the same 7 per cent annual dividend basis as the original common shares.

GOV. AL SMITH'S eagerly awaited reply to Charles C. Marshall's article in the Atlantic Monthly is printed in that magazine and is about what his admirers hoped for. He stands, as "an American Catholic," for complete separation of church and state. His answer embodies a creed that recognizes no power in his church superior to the Constitution of the United States and holds all churches equal before the law and the public school "as one of the cornerstones of American liberty."

UPON motion of defense counsel, Judge Raymond at Detroit granted an order of mistrial in the million-dollar libel suit of Aaron Sapiro against Henry Ford. The reason for this action was that Mrs. Cora Hoffman, one of the jurors, during an interview the substance of which appeared in the Detroit Times, Judge Raymond expressly cleared Mrs. Hoffman of allegations made in a series of affidavits by Ford detectives and other employees that she had discussed a \$10,000 bribe with one "Kid" Miller, and that she had wrongly stated she was a qualified juror, and asserted disbelief that Sapiro had indulged in any misconduct, as asserted in the affidavits.

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NAILHEAD TRIM IS POPULAR; NOVEL EFFECT IN SPORTS WEAR

FOR a change, why not trim the new frocks or coat with nailheads instead of with beads? Nailheads are newer and they are smartly adaptable to daytime modes.

Gold nailheads in two sizes dotted here and there add greatly to the attractiveness of a navy-blue crepe or satin frock. They are equally as effective as a border for the hemline of the coat.

It is an artful motif of nailheads which supplies a most fetching decorative note to the gown in the picture. The conventional flower worked on one side of the blouse is a popular idea this season. When done in steel

also, many felt hats being done with them in all-over patterning. Anything for novelty, that is the mood of the mode. The sportswear challenge by intricate metallic effect into knitted material. An increasing number of frocks, jumpers, knitted coats and sweaters are showing a tendency to the lure of gold and silver. One of the charming ideas is the jersey frock whose jumper is brodered in all-over gold and design after the manner being turned.

Sometimes the metallic note is pressed in an actual interlacing



Nailheads Give Decorative Note to This Gown.

nailheads as is the motif in the picture. It carries a convincing style message. Slippers of neutral tone gray kid were carefully selected for wear with this costume of dark-green crepe, thus carrying out a color scheme of gray, steel and green for the ensemble.

As one considers this handsome costume comes the thought of how charmingly it could be developed in the popular black and white. The flower motif would be very effective worked in large white porcelain beads or in tiny pearls. White kidskin slippers scollored with an applique of black or with fancy designed inlays, gold and silver threads rather than embroidery. Sweaters and coats with stripes interwork their coloring with glittering tinsel are among smart showings.

Newest in the category of sportswear is the slip-on knitted entirely of silver and bronze thread in a most charmingly. Often, also, a jersey shows an interworking of zonal metal stripes.

Very conspicuous sweaters made to design and color are worn with plaid solid-colored jersey skirts, especially white. As summer advances more and more will fling lace.

Embroidered in Gold and Silver.

sweaters make their appearance. Sweaters knit of chenille with stripes are among lovely novelties. Two items which render the distinctive touch to knitted costumes are color and necklines, ranging from subtle blend to dazzling contrast, to necklines, there is a distinct preference for the collarless type designing either a V-line, square, round or boat shape.

The bow-at-the-neck fad has tapered, the domain of the knitted sweater. It is usually posed at the side of the square neck or at strategic point near the shoulder.

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or if you please, black slippers piped with white would "complete the picture."

Speaking of nailhead trimming, sometimes an entire blouse is starred with gold or silver nailheads. Then, too, nailheads are used to embellish fancy sleeves. In the same class with nailhead effects is that of the tiny "pocketbook" clamps which are pressed about the edges of cuffs, collars, belts and pockets. A dress of dark crepe or satin thus trimmed may handsomely add a gilded or silvered belt.

The use of nailheads as a trimming extends into the realm of millinery

Favor White or Purple Corsage

White or purple corsages are the favored ones of the moment. Violets in white or purple shades, sweet peas, white gardenias and small cluster flowers in white or purple tones are being worn by those who follow fashion's trend in the smallest detail.

The Square Neckline

The square neckline continues to be popular for evening as well as daytime costumes.

New Hat Decorations

Many of the newest hats have a lot of trimming at the back. The most of these decorations is a curled ostrich feather placed just the center of the back to emphasize the new round crown and to cloche brim.

Bags to Match Shoes

New bags that match shoes are in vogue. The new patent leather in the new garnet red in iridescent effects.

Selwood of Sleepy Cat

By FRANK H. SPEARMAN

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CHAPTER X—Continued

"All right. That's settled, Carpy," continued Selwood, "thinks this place is getting too noisy for you, Dave. All these squatters coming in, and the clutter they make. He says you'll do better out under the pines a few miles up river, and I've got things arranged to get you up there today. The weather's settled now, and I've got time to move you—what do you say we start today?"

"I know where I'm comfortable, better than Carpy does. I'll stay here," Selwood, with patience, continued to dwell on the advantages of country life. But the old soldier resisted all blandishments, and in the end his patience gave out first. "Look here, John," he exclaimed with a snap of the tongue, "you're beating round the bush, like these crooked Sleepy Cat lawyers. I know what's going on, if I am flat on my back. The Vigilantes are ready to move. Where did you get the idea I was afraid of Vigilantes?" Selwood shrugged his shoulders.

"Where did you get the idea I thought you were?"

"Well, you're trying to ship me out of town—now and Carpy. Now, John, I'm not going—that's flat—not for all the Vigilantes in the Rocky mountains."

As Tracy uttered his declaration, Bill Pardaleo, like a huge cannon, stuck his head within the tent. Selwood, paying no further attention to the intruder, vainly tried in low tones to persuade Tracy it would be sheer folly to remain where he was. He reminded Tracy of his helpless condition and of what his obstinacy might mean; he begged him to consider his—Selwood's—feelings, if there were some of his own to move him. The old gambler proved adamant to every consideration, and not only that, he grew more and more set against all proposals. "John," he exclaimed, "I'm running, too?"

"You know very well, Dave, there's a heap of difference between a well man's running and a wounded man's being carried out of the way of a fight."

"You going to stay?"

"There's no reason why I shouldn't."

"And fight?"

"Nobody will miss me if I do fight."

"If you stay, there's just one answer—you get killed," said Tracy.

"Nash, you, I know you better than you know yourself. Now, John, listen. The old man, gray, grizzled, unshaven, hollow-eyed, but stern, his iron-gray hair falling in a great mat over his wrinkled forehead, sat bolt upright on his cot. He tore open the vest of the coarse shirt he wore—only upper garment—and pointed to an American flag, tattooed over his flimsy lace.

"Selwood sat with the eyes of youth fixed on his man's emblem. Bill Pardaleo stepped closer, leaned his neck forward, pulled off the tattered hat to get still closer, and peered dumbly at the tattooed emblem."

Tracy spoke to Selwood. "John, I don't say I've never done anything to disgrace it," he went on, "but I fought for that old flag nine years. I jumped down the Peninsula with McChellan, and double-quick back again; I stood, best I could, against Pickett at Gettysburg, with George Meade; I went up against the Bloody Angle in the Wilderness with Grant. It don't mean a continental to a lot of folks nowadays, but it means something to me yet. Does anything else ever seem to do, John, look to you as if I'd run from a blamed parcel of Vigilante crooks? I'll admit I'm no saint, I'm no preacher."

"You're preaching right now, Dave."

"Then, d-n it, let me preach—but the worst I've ever done was to invite a man to back his luck against mine. I've played crooked with crooks, I'll admit it, but no honest man can say I've ever stacked a deck against him—I took my chances, same as he took his."

"Now, a parcel of Vigilantes threaten to hang me—I know, same as if you'd told me. I left the best of my life in health and strength down on the Jim river for this old flag—what's why I can't put up a man's fight today?" He bared his right breast. There was a gap in it in which you could lay a hen's egg. "A Johnny Reb shell took that lung, John—" He tore open, with ferociousness, the shirt sleeve of his left arm—"a minie ball splintered that arm, John—you know it's no good. It wasn't that fight with Frank Sanger that did for me. I was done for in the Wilderness and came out with no health to earn a living, and here I am—and not sorry for it. Well, they can hang me. But it'll be done after I'm dead. And then," he muttered with satisfaction, "the blamed skunks have got to hang the old flag with me. I tell you again, I don't say I've never done nothing to disgrace it. I don't say I'm proud of wadding up as a gambler. But things are as they are. And if this is my last stand—why, it's all right."

He reached his hand out toward the tent pole, "G'd me my gun, Bill." With Selwood sitting in silence, Pardaleo lifted from the nail on which it hung by the scabbard an old Colt's army revolver. Tracy took it almost affectionately. "Leave this with me," he said, falling back on his frowny pillow. "Bring me a couple dozen cartridges—that'll be all I need."

Selwood smiled. "More'n you'll need, Dave," he said quite undisturbed.

Selwood continued to smile; not mirthfully—seriously, rather. He just studied the muzzling old gladiator, half toothless, laid low after many a about fight—stiffened in joint, frayed in nerve, caressing the old gun with a shaking hand, so enfeebled he

could with difficulty hold up his head, and with only the gray eyes flashing the old fire as he hurled defiance at his enemies—it was not a cheerful picture! No home to die in; no woman to be tender with his pain or patient with his irascibility; no child's kiss to close the weary day—just a human derelict, cast by the storm and wave of civilization on its outermost shore—such was Dave Tracy.

"What you looking at me that way for, John?" demanded the old gambler peevishly.

"Nothing, Dave, nothing—just thinking. I'll be back again." He rose as he spoke. Pardaleo peered—as if in farewell—at Tracy and pushed his way outside. "See here," exclaimed Tracy, detaining Selwood. "You 'n' me's been partners, ain't we? You say you're stayin'. You talk about my getting killed—how d'y' suppose I'd feel if you got killed?" Selwood laughed lightly. "It's what's comin' to both of us, I guess Dave."

"Carry me up the hill to the hall, you and Pardaleo; I'll stay and you go. I'd a blamed sight better be defending the hall than you. I'm no loss to anybody on earth."

"Neither am I, Dave."

"What about the girl that brings me soup two and three times a week? What's she bringing it to me for? What did she bring me an apple for today? Because she thinks a lot of me—or you?"

Selwood winced. "Because she's kind-hearted," he said irritably. "You're talking nonsense." But he was red in the face.

Tracy followed up sharply. "It's you, Selwood—not me—you. I don't have to be told what a girl's thinking when she'll set right there where you're settin' now, and listen as long as I'll talk about you."

Selwood shrugged his shoulders. "You're wasting your breath to talk about me." He hung out of the tent in no very pleasant frame of mind.

The valley, the river, and the flats were in shadow when Selwood stepped outside. Turning up street, his eyes fell on the hill, where the front windows of the big gambling-house burned in the glow of the sunset. Busy with his thoughts, he reached the barn, spoke to Scott, who stood in the doorway, directed him to bring Pardaleo with him as soon as it was dark, and making sure that all ordered was in readiness, Selwood walked on up the hill.

CHAPTER XI

The River Bridge.

It was two hours yet to opening time. He unlocked the front door of the hall, crossed the room to his office, unlocked the door, entered, locked it behind him, sat down at his desk, unlocked it, and pulled open a drawer in which he kept his stock of ammunition. Besides the boxes of cartridges and cleaning implements there were in it two cartridge belts and two Colt's revolvers. There was still daylight enough for his purpose, and Selwood, taking first his own gun and in turn the two guns in the drawer, began the task of taking down, cleaning, and assembling the three.

It gave him plenty of time to think. Warning had come—his defiance had answered it—at least, for John Selwood. He had been told what to expect; he had said how he should meet it; there remained only the question of how far twelve cartridges loaded into two guns expressly for this occasion would carry him after the opening shot.

It was too much to hope that he should live to fire them all, and he fell to speculating on how many loaded cartridges would be found in the two guns when they picked him up. It enraged him to think of being cornered by Vigilantes; and escape now was so easy—and always there was Christie in the background of his thinking. But his word had been passed—whether foolishly or not, was beside the question. He had told the "real estate boomers" where they would find him.

In the street he heard a beating of hoofs and a chorus of whooping yells from horsemen heading down-town on a drunken spree. Carpy's words came back to him: "It's Saturday night. All the Calabasas horse-thieves will be out for a spree. They'll all get in. But they won't mangle you out."

He did not know the men—he only knew that in their company a skeleton steed, galloped noiselessly ahead; that death that night would slink, an invisible guest, in with these men as they lined up at the bar; unbidden, would sit that night with them at their tables and stake their evil lives against the caprice of frontier fate—as, indeed, he had already, for that night, staked John Selwood's.

He picked up, last of his job, the cartridge belt. It was too dark to see, but it was easy to feel with the fingers of one hand for the cartridges in the box, while in the other he held the belt and felt for the empty spaces to slip the brass slugs into place. And with the thrift of Robinson Crusoe, he emptied a handful of cartridges into his trousers pocket, rose, buckled the belt about his waist. As he did this, he heard a loud knock at the outer door. It startled him; then he remembered that he had told Scott to bring Pardaleo to him as soon as it was dark.

He walked to the front door; the two men were there. Bob Scott bared half toothless, laid low after many a about fight—stiffened in joint, frayed in nerve, caressing the old gun with a shaking hand, so enfeebled he

the idea is to stop all the birds that try to fly the coop tonight. And they figured no one from Calabasas would be leaving town till pretty late, anyway." Selwood asked whether the way and horses were ready. Pardaleo had come straight from the barn. His eyes, set rather harder than usual with the prospects of the night, appeared closer, if possible, together, and glowed with a deeper light; while if suspicion could more completely characterize his manner, it seemed now heightened, in view of coming events. "They're hitched, John," he said darkly, "chewin' their bits in two and tearin' up the planks right now in the gangway."

"I suppose you know," said Selwood, addressing both men, "I'm going to take Dave Tracy out of town. He's my partner; I'll never see him hurt while I'm alive. He refused to go, as you know, Bill," he said to Pardaleo, "and he's bull-headed enough to put up a scuffle rather than be dragged out. No matter, Carpy put a sleepy dose in Tracy's coffee last night. By this time he should be under; I hope he is. But he's got to go now, whether he drank the coffee or not. I won't see him strung up on a telegraph pole, if I have to kill him to get him out of town."

"How you going to get across the bridge?" asked Pardaleo grimly.

"I'll attend to that. You say the river road isn't guarded, anyway."



"Things Are Fixed," the Barn Boss Half Whispered.

Selwood addressed the words to Scott.

"It wasn't when I rode up from the west bridge. The trail will shake Dave some, but we can get over it if we can get to it."

Big Haynes loomed up out of the darkness. "What's up, boys?" he asked as he walked in and saw the three men in confab.

"We don't know yet," said Selwood. "But I'll be away for two or three hours. There's talk of trying to clean the town up tonight. Skillman is in Medicine Bend, and I leave you in charge of the place here. Haynes, I expect to be back before anything much happens. But if you have to run, get a good start—you're fat."

Haynes, fingering a gun as big as a toy cannon, looked hurt. "Who'm I going to run from, John? You're putting this place in my charge, till you get back?" he asked, to confirm his understanding.

"I am."

"What time'll you be back?"

"If I'm not back by eleven o'clock, don't look for me."

Haynes straightened up. "I'll hold this place against all comers till twelve o'clock," he said composedly. "Give me a couple of good men," he added, nodding significantly toward Pardaleo and Scott, "and I'll hold this place against all the Vigilantes in Sleepy Cat."

"I need a couple of good men, myself," replied Selwood drily. "I might send up Bull Page!"

Adding only a few details to his instructions, Selwood, returning to his room, picked up a shot-bag full of loose cartridges, and leaving the place that embraced all his earthly possessions walked rapidly down to the barn, followed by Pardaleo and Scott. As the street door was opened by Selwood, McAlpin rose from the fringe of darkness.

"Things are fixed," the barn boss half whispered, as the three men entered the office. "Two men are watching the back door; they've got a couple ten-gauge guns and plenty of buckshot cartridges loaded 'em myself—five drams and plenty of buckshot. John, Levever has got six men over at the warehouse, all heeled, and more a-comin'. If they get us, John, they'll know we're here!"

The waiting team, freshly fed and watered, was hitched to the light wagon. Beside the wagon was an extra saddle-horse for Pardaleo; Selwood had mounted upon "John," whispered the barn boss, clasping Selwood's knee as he stood beside his horse. "What's the place to find you, if I need you?"

Selwood hesitated. "We're trying for the south trail up the river, but I doubt we'll ever make it. We'll either be up at the beaver dam, or, more likely, at Calabasas. If you come after me, try Calabasas first."

At a signal from Scott, who took the reins, McAlpin threw open the doors, and Scott, with Pardaleo at his side,

carrying his redoubtable shotgun, and Selwood on horseback, clattered out of the barn.

Selwood, with a lantern, entered Tracy's tent. The old soldier had drunk his coffee. He lay heavily asleep. Pardaleo, waiting, peered inside. Selwood motioned to him. The wagon was backed close up to the door, and Selwood gathered up Tracy's belongings. Then, at a nod, Pardaleo picked Tracy, bedclothes and all, up in his arms and, with Selwood holding back the fly, carried him out and lifted him into the wagon.

The cot was lashed inside the wagon; the tent was struck and stowed better in. In less than ten minutes the little cavalcade was headed as quietly as the restive horses would let them for the bridge. Pardaleo, his shotgun between his knees, staring into the darkness, Selwood pushed ahead on his horse to try the passage.

He reached the bridge only to be halted by two men, who stepped out of the dark on either side, covering him with shotguns.

Selwood halted his horse. "What is it, boys?"

"Can't cross this bridge."

"Why not?"

"Nobody can cross the bridges tonight without a bridge pass."

"Well, we've got passes—good on all bridges, trails, and boulevards—but they're not the kind of passes we like to use on decent men. We're crossing this bridge tonight, boys, and we're willing to play fair. How many of you are there?" asked Selwood untruffed.

"Plenty to hold this bridge."

"There are just two of you—if there were any more they'd all be poking their guns under a peaceable man's nose. Listen! There are four of us. If you say fight, it's a fight, but you haven't got a ghost of a chance. And you're doing nobody any harm. Let's take a sick man out of the fight uptown tonight. I'm going out over this bridge and coming back, myself, over this bridge inside two hours. I'll give you my word, I'm coming back."

He had talked only long enough to allow Pardaleo to crawl back over Tracy and out of the hind end of the wagon. Selwood told the guards, frankly, just who he was—they laughed at his claim to his identity; he tried to show them the sick man in the wagon—it was all in vain. He talked loud for a few minutes and irritated the guards; touched his horse enough with the spur to keep his feet shuffling, and Scott, trying to quiet his horses, kept them stamping and champing on the bridge planks. But all the while Selwood was making the noises, and all the while the guards stood their ground, his eyes were searching the circle of darkness to his right, where his eye long practiced, followed a hulking object slinking slowly and noiselessly forward.

Creeping like a huge cat from behind the wagon on to the bridge; pausing for loud words or the impatience of the horses' feet; advancing, step by step, at the champing of their bits and the straining at their harness, Pardaleo crouched in readiness behind the nearer guard waiting only for Selwood to act.

"It's foolishness, boys, to keep poking shotguns into me," protested Selwood. "It would be better for you and better for me if you'd stand back. And any man that calls himself a friend of mine ought to be over TO THE LEFT by this time. If I'm shot I FALL TO THE RIGHT, Man!" he exclaimed, addressing the guard on his left hand, "you're so close I can smell the powder in your cartridge. Well, if we can't cross, we can't. It looks to me as if YOU'RE READY, And I'm ready, Go!"

With a lurch, sudden as thought, Selwood jerked his horse to the right and throwing his lines, keeled from the saddle to the bridge floor. As he did so, the toe of his left boot caught the barrel of the shotgun on that side with a blow that kicked the gun into the guard's stomach. One barrel exploded; the charge went into the air. In falling, Selwood, striking up with his hand the barrel of the second shotgun, threw himself bodily on the right-hand guard. The two men clinched to the ground, and the gambler pulling, in the struggle, the revolver from the breast harness, brought the butt down twice on the fighting guard's head. Pardaleo, who had placed himself, as directed, behind the left guard, butted him violently from behind above the knees, grabbed the guard's ankles, and as the guard's shotgun went off, threw him with a grunt backward clear over his own head. The man struck sprawling on the plank floor, and Pardaleo was on top of him before he knew what had happened. Selwood's horse reared and plunged at the discharge of the gun, but, fortunately, hit no one under foot. The struggle of the surprised guards was quickly over—neither had a word against men practiced in encounter.

Selwood was first to speak. "Throw me a piece of rope, Bob," he said, astride his man.

"Don't waste no rope on these birds," growled Pardaleo, "dunk 'em into the river!" He was really picking up his yelling victim to follow his own advice when Selwood intervened.

"Hold the man—and the him," said Selwood, sternly, meantime trussing his own victim. "We may have visitors any minute—work fast."

Scott and Pardaleo with much grumbling, carried the crestfallen guards, tied and roughly gagged, well into the bushes at the left of the roadway. "Sorry to gag you this way, boys," explained Selwood, leaving them, "but I'll be back by twelve o'clock and turn you loose. If you don't have better luck. Next time stand back out of reach, as I advised you to. Don't expect to stick your shotguns into a man's ribs and not get kicked."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Josh Billings

There is as much difference between wit and humor as there is between the life and the essence of pepper.

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Old Pictures May Be Work of Egyptians

According to a report from South Africa, two men searching for cattle in Rhodesia found some queer-looking pictures painted in a shallow cave under a boulder. They sent photographs of the pictures to Dr. S. P. Impey, a South African authority on rock paintings, who pronounced them specimens of Egyptian art. "There are hundreds of crude bushman paintings in caves all over South Africa," declared Doctor Impey, "but these are clearly of a different technique from anything discovered before. There are 11 figures, apparently minstrels, playing stringed instruments unknown to bushmen. In the cave is a large rock where the artist must have rested, using a long brush to reach the roof. The painted figures wear Egyptian costumes, while bushmen's figures are always unclothed."—Pathfinder Magazine.

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